

BRIEF NEWS OF OREGON

For the third time in one year Klamath Falls has adopted a charter. Paving of Condon's main street will be started within the next month, according to the decision of the city council.

Citizens of Roseburg at a mass meeting decided to hold the next annual strawberry and rose festival on May 20 to 24, inclusive.

Molalla has begun a movement to incorporate that town, which is growing rapidly, so that the people feel the need of local control in matters of home interest.

After being out about four hours, the Astoria circuit court jury in the case against Jackson F. Adams returned a verdict finding the defendant guilty of murder in the first degree.

In reply to queries from Walter B. Jones, secretary of the district fair association at Eugene, the attorney general rendered an opinion to the effect that only county fairs could hereafter draw support from the state.

The \$200,000 bond issue voted by the people of Grants Pass for the purpose of building a municipally owned railroad from Grants Pass to the Illinois valley, was sold at par plus accrued interest. The entire issue goes to one firm.

Miss Ann Whitaker, who has been importuned to allow her name to be used at the April election as candidate for member of the Eugene council positively declined to run, giving as her principal excuse unsanitary condition of the council chamber.

Branded logs, escaped from the owner's boom and floating down the river, do not become abandoned property and are not subject to be salvaged by outside parties. This is the decision gained by the Log Salvage association in the courts at St. Helens.

That no member of the legislature may accept a position as county attorney under the bill passed by the last legislature, even though they should resign as members of the legislature, was the gist of an opinion furnished by the attorney-general at the request of Governor West.

For the first time in its history the town of Hubbard was dry for four days. There was a spirited struggle there for months between the "wets" and the "drys" over the question of abolishing the town's three saloons. The matter finally resulted in the licensing of one saloon.

Indian war veterans who are entitled to the benefits conferred by the act of February 19, 1913—the Richardson bill granting an increase to \$20 per month—will not be required to make application in order to receive the increase, according to the commissioner of pensions.

With the arrival of an immense dredger from San Francisco work is being rushed on the Lake Labish drainage project, whereby 1800 acres of marsh will be reclaimed and converted into garden and berry land. It is being sold in small tracts and there is now quite a colony on the ground in tents, awaiting the erection of their homes.

Approximately 3,500,000 salmon fry and 3,000,000 steelhead and rainbow trout fry will be produced at the Elk creek hatchery and liberated this spring and summer in the Rogue river and its tributaries. All of the fish are being held until they reach the fingerling stage. The steelhead taken this year are the largest on record, averaging over 12 pounds each.

Portland is to be analyzed. All the city's methods of municipal administration are to be brought to the light. Comparisons in efficiency with other cities and other methods will be made. The city's ills will be diagnosed and remedies prescribed, in accordance with an arrangement between a committee of Portland citizens and William H. Allen, municipal efficiency expert of New York.

Details of the important modification of the time for payment on lands in the Umatilla project have been announced by the secretary of the interior. From settlers on the third unit of this project an initial payment of \$18 for building charge is required at the time of filing water right application and for lands subject to the reclamation act. In the fourth unit the initial payment is \$12 per acre of irrigable land.

Several of the little villages of Klamath county are planning to incorporate. The new law prohibiting the sale of liquor outside of incorporated towns and cities hit a number of places in this county, and those interested in keeping the places supplied with wet goods have held meetings and taken preliminary steps to incorporate Fort Klamath, Bly and Malin. All of these places now have one or more saloons.

Declaration of intention upon the part of a husband to become a citizen, does not confer citizenship upon the wife, according to an opinion rendered by Attorney General Crawford. He holds that the husband must be a citizen in order to confer citizenship upon her. He suggests that she can remedy the difficulty by taking out citizenship papers herself, and in that manner render herself competent to vote at elections.

To Roller Skaters

The managers wish to announce there will be skating at the pavillion rink from 3 to 5 p. m. for the benefit of children and new beginners. Special prices for children, 14 or under, 15c, adults 25c. Two competent instructors. Admission free. Whitlatch and Akers.

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National Forest Timber for Sale

Sealed bids will be received by the District Forester, Portland, Oregon, up to and including April 21, 1913, for all or any part of 8,605,000 feet of B. M., more or less, of western yellow pine saw timber upon a designated area within T. 17 S., R. 35 E., and T. 18 S., R. 35 E., W. M., Antelope creek water shed, Malheur National Forest, Oregon. No bid of less than \$2.50 per M., will be considered. Deposit with bid \$200. The right to reject any and all bids reserved. Before bids are submitted full information concerning the timber, the conditions of sale and the submission of bids should be obtained from the Forest Supervisor, John Day, Oregon.

Vale 01135, Burns 03944

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Vale, Oregon, March 5th, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that James E. Rusk, of Ontario, Oregon, who, on November 22nd, 1909, made Homestead Application, No. Vale 01135, for NW 1/4 section 22, Township 17 S., Range 46 E., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described before the Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office, at Vale, Oregon, on the 18th day of April, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Frank Welch, Joseph Little, Blain Mays, of Ontario Oregon; John Taylor, of Payette, Idaho.

Bruce R. Kester, Register

Vale 0273, Burns 01308

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Vale, Oregon, March 5th, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Guy P. Morgan, of Ontario, Oregon, who, on January 22nd, 1909, made Homestead application No. Vale 0273, for E 1/2 Sec. 14 and W 1/2 SW 1/4, Sec. 18, Tp. 17 S., Range 46 E., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office, at Vale, Oregon, on the 18th day of April, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Frank Welch, Joseph Little, Charles F. Hager, of Ontario, Oregon; John Taylor, of Payette, Idaho.

Bruce R. Kester, Register.

Alias Summons

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Malheur County.

Gilbert L. King, Plaintiff,

vs.

W. S. Carey and Benj. T. Ulu, Defendants.

To W. S. Carey and Benj. T. Ulu, Defendants.

In the name of the state of Oregon. You and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you and each of you in the above entitled case and cause in the above entitled Court on or before six (6) weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, which first publication is on the 20th day of February, 1913, and the time within which you shall appear and answer will expire April 3, 1913, this being the time mentioned in the order directing the publication of this summons, and if you fail to appear and answer said complaint on or before said six weeks, the defendant will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in his complaint, to wit: For a decree and judgment foreclosing that certain mortgage made and delivered by you on the 30th day of April, 1910, to Gilbert L. King and given on Lot number 15 in block number seventy-six, in the City of Ontario, County of Malheur, State of

Oregon, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note of even date therewith, for the sum of one hundred dollars and interest at 10 per cent per annum from date and for such other relief as the Court may deem just and reasonable.

This summons is published by order of Hon. Dalton Biggs, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Malheur County, which order is dated February 13, 1913, and directs that this summons be served upon you by being published once each week for a period of six (6) consecutive weeks in the regular issue of the Ontario Argus.

Date of first publication February 20, 1913.

Date of last publication April 3, 1913.

Gilbert L. King, Plaintiff.

Summons

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Malheur County.

Jacob Prinzing, Plaintiff,

vs.

R. M. Beard and Lena F. Beard, husband and wife, L. A. Corey, and J. B. McClelland, Defendants.

To R. M. Beard, Lena F. Beard, L. A. Corey and J. B. McClelland, the above named defendants:

In the name of the State of Oregon. You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the 4th day of April, 1913, and if you fail to so appear, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in his complaint on file herein; the said relief being the foreclosure of plaintiff's mortgage upon the following described real property, to wit:

All of lots 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 in Block 158 in the City of Ontario, Malheur County, Oregon; for judgment against the defendants, R. M. Beard and Lena F. Beard, L. A. Corey and J. B. McClelland, for the sum of \$800, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 1st day of October, 1910, and for the further sum of \$100 attorney's fees and for the costs and disbursements of the suit; that a decree may be made for the sale of the said premises by the sheriff of Malheur county, Oregon, and that the proceeds of said sale may be applied in payment of the amounts due to the plaintiff, and that said defendants and each of them, and all persons claiming by, through or under said defendants or either or any of them, either as purchasers, incumbrancers or otherwise, may be barred and foreclosed of all rights, claim or equity of redemption in or to the said premises; for judgment against said defendants, R. M. Beard and Lena F. Beard, for any deficiency which may remain after applying all the proceeds of the sale of said premises properly applicable to the satisfaction of said judgment; that the plaintiff or any party to this suit may become a purchaser at said sale, and that the purchaser be let into the immediate possession of said premises.

You will also take notice that this summons is served upon you by publication in the Ontario Argus, a newspaper printed and published weekly at Ontario, Malheur County, Oregon, and of general circulation in said Malheur County, by virtue of an order of the Hon. George W. McKnight, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Malheur County, which order bears date the 17th day of February, 1913, and by which order it is directed that this summons be served upon you by publication in the above named newspaper for six full consecutive weeks, and that you appear and answer the same on or before April 4th, 1913.

The first publication of this summons will appear in the issue of said paper of February 20th, 1913, and the last publication will appear in the issue of April 3d, 1913.

Dated this 19th day of February, 1913.
McCulloch & Eckhardt,
Attorneys for the Plaintiff.

Administrator's Notice

In the County Court of the state of Oregon for Malheur County.

In the matter of the estate of Clementine Chambers, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Malheur County, administrator of the estate of said Clementine Chambers, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said Clementine Chambers, deceased, are hereby required to present the same to the undersigned with proper vouchers as by law required within six months from date hereof.

Dated at Ontario, Oregon, this 27th day of February, 1913.

George W. Chambers,
Administrator of the estate of Clementine Chambers, deceased.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Vale, Oregon, February 20th, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Mary F. Wrinkles, of Ontario, Oregon, who, on August 10th, 1911, made Homestead Application, No. 01950, for E 1/2 NE 1/4 and SW 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec 17 Tp. 17 S., Range 47 E., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office, at Vale, Oregon, on the 5th day of April, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:
M. W. Jones, Rozzie E. Jones, Pearl Crane, of Ontario, Oregon; Melvin S. Spaulding, of Payette, Idaho.

Bruce R. Kester, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Vale, Oregon, February 13th, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Mrs. Cornelia Roe, of Payette, Idaho, who, on April 28th, 1911, made Homestead Application, No. 01821, for the SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 3, Township 17 S., Range, 47 E., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Harry B. Graul, U. S. Commissioner, at Ontario, Oregon, on the 25th day of March, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses:
J. R. Langley, Ed Putnam, C. G. Darnell, M. S. Spaulding, of Payette, Idaho.

Bruce R. Kester, Register.

Summons

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Malheur, D. B. Purcell, Plaintiff

vs.

The Oregon Short Line Railway Company, (Oregon Short Line Railroad Company successor in interest) The Idaho and Oregon Land Improvement Company, James W. Virtue, Robert E. Strahorn, trustee, and Mary Jane Janney, Defendants.

To The Idaho and Oregon Land Improvement Company, James W. Virtue, Robert E. Strahorn, trustee, and Mary Jane Janney, of the above named defendants.

In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit by Friday, the 4th day of April, 1913, or for want thereof, plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief therein demanded, namely, for a decree forever barring any right or claim which you may have in the following described real property to wit: Lots 16, 17, 18 and 19 in Block No. 21, in the City of Ontario, Malheur County, Oregon. This summons is served upon you by publication thereof, in the Ontario Argus for six consecutive weeks, beginning on the 20th day of February, 1913, and ending on the 3rd day of April, 1913, by order of Hon. Dalton Biggs, Circuit Judge of the above entitled Court

Dated February 18th, 1913.

C. McGonagill,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

Local Market Report.

Corrected Feb. 27, for the benefit of Argus readers by the Malheur Mercantile Company.

Eggs, per dozen, 25c.
Butter, per pound, 30c.
Oats, per hundred, \$1.50.
Wheat, per hundred, \$1.60.
Hay, per ton, \$5.
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Onions, per hundred, \$2.00.
Apples, per box, \$1.00. to \$1.50.
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Vale, Oregon, February 20th, 1913.

Notice is hereby given that Angus McDonald, of Vernie, Malheur county, Oregon, who, on March 30th, 1908, made Homestead Application No. 0708, for NW 1/4, Section 6, Township 17 S., Range 47 E., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Harry B. Grauel, U. S. Commissioner, at Ontario, Oregon, on the 24th day of March, 1913.

Claimant names as witness:
Heman W. Clement, of Ontario, Oregon; Roy B. Kelley, of Weiser, Idaho; George Thiel, of Payette, Idaho; A. E. White, of Ontario, Oregon.

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